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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Jun KITAKADO, et al. : Confirmation No.: 6931

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For: TRANSMISSION RATE DETERMINING METHOD, AND BASE STATION

APPARATUS AND TERMINAL APPARATUS UTILIZING THE SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.